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OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner:

Applicant has received an Office action with a mailing date of February 13, 2003.

This paper is intended to be fully responsive to each of the points made by the Examiner in the Office action. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment and favorable consideration of the present claims. This paper has been prepared in the "revised format" as outlined in an article entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted" posted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office website January 31, 2003. Please enter the attached amendments proceeding on the next page.

Amendment "G"

A. In the Claims: Please amend claims 13, 16 and 19 as shown as follows: